In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana, Chandigarh

C.W.P. No. 15572 of 2006

Date of Decision: September 28, 2006

Mange Ram

…Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

…Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M. KUMAR
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M.S. BEDI

PRESENT: Mr. R.S. Sangwan, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

JUDGMENT

M.M. KUMAR, J. (Oral)

This petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution prays for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing the respondents to treat the interregnum period i.e. from the date of termination and reinstatement of the services of the petitioner as the period spend on duty for all purposes and to grant service benefits and arrears of salary etc.

For the relief claimed in the instant petition, the petitioner has already sent an advance legal notice, dated 25.5.2006 (P-6) to the respondents.

Without going into the merits of the case, we deem it just and appropriate to direct the respondents to take cognizance of the legal notice, dated 25.5.2006 (P-6) sent by the petitioner and decide the same expeditiously preferably within a period of four months from the date a certified copy of this order is presented to them. If the claim of the petitioner is found to be meritorious and decided in his favour then the benefit accruing to him shall be disbursed within a further period of three months thereafter. It shall be appreciated if a speaking order is passed.

Petition stands disposed of in the above terms.

(M.M. KUMAR)
JUDGE

(M.M.S. BEDI)
JUDGE

September 28, 2006
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